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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

VALUATION OF THE TOWN OF STODDARD

APRIL 1, 1929

Resident valuation,	\$98,480 00
Non-resident valuation,	337,908 00
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	\$436,388 00
Soldiers' exemptions,	5,470 00
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Amount on which assessment is made,	\$430,918 00
Rate per cent on \$100—\$2.50	•

AMOUNT REQUIRED TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION.

State tax,	\$951 60
County tax,	880 57
Town charges,	800 00
General expenses, Highway Department,	600 00
Snow removal,	500 00
State aid maintenance,	550 00
Trunk line maintenance,	370 00
Fire pump,	750 00
Cement bridge,	850 00
Old Home Day,	25 00
Town maintenance,	1,550 00
School purposes,	2,700 50
School officers' salaries,	71 50
Superintendent's excess salary,	35 71
Per capita tax,	48 00
High school tuition,	35 00
1928 debt,	419 00
Water supply,	200 00
Repairs on school house,	40 00
Library tax,	18 30
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Amount to be raised,	\$11,395 18

Less savings bank, auto, insurance, interest and dividend tax,	760 87
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	\$10,634 31
Overlay,	138 64
Polls,	130 00
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Total amount raised,	\$10,902 95

APRIL INVOICE.

65 polls,	\$130 00
Land and buildings,	399,353 00
Horses, 47,	4,135 00
Cows, 33,	2,090 00
Neat stock, 9,	375 00
Sheep, 66,	620 00
Portable mills, 3,	1,875 00
Boats,	325 00
Goats, 1,	10 00
Lumber,	10,520 00
Logs,	635 00
Gas pumps, 9,	1,800 00
Mills and machinery,	500 00
Reservoir,	12,000 00
Stock in trade,	2,150 00
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	\$436,518 00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

<i>Description.</i>	<i>Value.</i>
Town Hall:	
Lands and Buildings,	\$3,500 00
Furniture and Equipment,	200 00
Highway Department:	
Lands and Buildings,	100 00
Equipment,	2,000 00
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Total,	\$5,800 00

ASSESSMENT AND TAXES, RESIDENT

NAME.	Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate	Total Valua- tion.	Polls.	Acres.	Amount of Tax.
Aten, Florence B.	Goodnow and Hubbard land and cottages	\$24,870	1		\$623.75
	Reservoir and power plant	2,500		12	62.50
	Wood Mill property	5,000			125.00
	Pressler land	100		7	2.50
	Charles Smith land	1,200		120	30.00
	Paige land	8,500		511	212.50
	Gunn land	250		40	6.25
	McIntire land	4,000		100	100.00
	Pearson and Buffum land	1,300		80	32.50
	Green land	110		55	2.75
	Pregent cottage	10			.25
	Murdock land	900			22.50
		1,000		40	25.00
Ayer, Nellie H.			1		2.00
Ayer, Ross A.*	1 Horse	\$30	510		12.75
	5 Cows	350			
	1 Neat Stock	60			
	8 Sheep	70			
Aborn, James			1		2.00
Blanchard, Will			1		2.00
Barnes, Albert A.	Home place	350	410	1	10.25
	1 Cow	60			
Bow, Nellie			1		2.00
Bemis, Robert	Camp	75	75	1	3.88
Brown, Elmer E.			1		2.00
Brock, H. L.	2 Horses	350	350		8.75
Bushway, Charles	2 Horses	200	200		5.00
Cook, Walter F.	Home place	600	600	1	17.00
Cutter, Arthur E.	Sargent place	500	1,080	1	29.00
	Proctor place	500		178	
	Proctor barn	50			
	1 Horse	30			
Cutter, Harvey E.			1		2.00
Capen, Emma			1		2.00
Davis, Edward T.			1		2.00
Davis, Louise E.	Home place	550	750	1	20.75
	J. L. Reed land	50		20	
	F. W. Holmes land	150			
Favor, Frank M.	Sweeney place	1,000			25.00
Hebit, George	4 Horses	450			11.25
Hill, Charles	1 Sheep	10			.25
Hall, Alpha	Boiler	75			1.88

*Veteran, exempt.

NAME.	Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate	Total Valua- tion.	Polls.	Aeres.	Amount of Tax.
Harlow, Hattie L.	Home place 4,000	5,500		70	137.50
	Messinger place 1,200			125	
	Cottage 300				
Holmes, H. D., Est.*	Wood lot 100	100		35	2.50
Holmes, Lawrence M.*	Gas engine 100	100			2.50
Hodgkiss, Arthur T.	Home place 500	950	1		25.75
	Orr N. Towne land 50				
	Messinger place 400				
Holland, Albert H.	1 Horse 30	85.00	1		4.13
	1 Cow 55				
Hubley, Wellington	½ Richardson land 25	175.00	1	15	6.38
	Box Tavern land 100			6	
	1 Horse 50				
Hudson, John E.			1		2.00
Hale, Ethel F.	J. F. Whittemore place 500	865	1	7½	23.63
	Knowlton land 40			10	
	S. E. Minard place 250				
	Griffiths house lot 75				
Jennings, A. E.	1 Cow 60	270	1		8.75
	1 Goat 10				
	Gas pump 200				
Jennings, Flora B.	1 Cow 55	55	1		3.38
Jennings, Abbie M.	Cutter place 700	970	1	34	26.25
	Richardson land 100			25	
	F. J. Reed land 50			12	
	Store land 50			1	
	Miller field 70			7	
Jennings, Fred R.	Home place 500	750		¾	20.75
	Morse Hill lot 25			11	
	2 Cows 150				
	Boats 75				
Knowlton, Ruel B.	Taylor house 600	850		7	21.25
	Hotel barn and land 200				
	Double house lot 50				
Lane, William F.			1		2.00
Lane, Mary*	Home place 500	590			14.75
	O'Neil lot 90				
Lambert, Ruth C.	Jennings land 50	50	1		3.25
Lambert, E. C.*	James Stevens place 1,000	1,375		208	34.37
	F. Shoults land 200			71	
	2 Horses 150				
	1 Neat Stock 25				
Lathrope Bros.	4 Horses 550	550			13.75

*Veteran, exempt.

†Veteran's widow, exempt.

NAME.	Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate	Total Valua- tion.	Polls.	Acres.	Amount of Tax.
Messinger, Fred S.	Home place 900	3,125	1	61	80.14
	O'Neil place 550			114	
	Davis land 1,600			80	
	½ Richardson land 25			15	
	Duncan land 25			½	
	Taylor field 25			7	
Messinger, Henrietta L.			1		2.00
McClure, K. D.*	2 Horses 100	170			4.25
	1 Cow 40				
	1 Neat Stock 30				
McClure, Bernice I.			1		2.00
McClure, Susie A.	Home place 2,000	2,430	1	84	62.75
	Spalding land 200			50	
	Taylor land 200			50	
	Ireland bog land 20				
	2/5 Knight meadow 10				
Mountford, E. T.	Home place 700	1,425	1	106	37.63
	2/5 Knight meadow 15				
	1/5 Center Pond outlet 10				
	Barrett land 150			10	
	Farrar land 450				
	1 Horse 40				
Mountford, J. T. W.	1 Neat Stock 60				
	Hadley place 300	675	1	70	18.88
	Bicknell land 300			40	
Miller & Knowlton	Reed land 75			8	
Miller, Adolphe	Curtis house 900	900			22.50
	Hutchinson land 300	1,150	1	20	30.75
	Sugar lot 400			10	
	Griffiths land 200			75	
	1 Horse 50				
Merrill, Myra L.	3 Cows 200				
	Store 300	650			16.25
	Gas pump 200				
	Stock in trade 150				
Merrill, Chas. H., Est.		200			5.00
Messinger, Savona, Est.	Allen house				
Morse, Jane, Heirs	Cottage 450	450		2	11.25
Miller & Lathrope Bros.	Homstead	1,000		75	28.00
	Standing timber on Carr lot 750	9,550			238.75
	Sawed lumber 8,000				
Nichols, Albert L.	Mill 800				
	Home place 450	660	1		18.50
	2 Camps 150				
	Taylor house lot 10				
	½ island Island Pond 50,				

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Nichols, Susan R.			1		2.00
Pierce, William H.	Home place	1,000	1	160	27.00
Pierce, Harold*	Larmy place	100		1	2.50
Paige, Ida	Hobbs place	700			17.50
Reed, Wilmer C.*	Home place	1,500	3,335	23	83.38
	Hadley land	350		30	
	H. W. Reed land	1,200		160	
	R. J. Brown land	100		30	
	2 Horses	125			
	1 Cow	60			
Richer, Louise	Home place	1,000		230	25.00
Rutherford, Fanny B.	Home place	250	1	1/4	6.25
Reynolds, Eunice			1		2.00
Reed, Ida M.			1		2.00
Reynolds, John D.	McCoy place	1,500	2,100	1	54.50
	3 gas pumps	600			
Shoults, Isadora			1		2.00
Shoults, Frank L.	Home place	1,200	1,600	1	42.00
	Robb land	100		20	
	2 Horses	150			
	2 Cows	150			
Smith, Alice B.			1		2.00
Smith, S. D. E.	Home place	650	1,095	1	29.38
	Holt land	20		1	
	1 Horse	50			
	4 Cows	275			
	Mill	100			
Shedd, Willie E.	Home place	750			18.75
Spalding, Henry E.	Home place	2,000	3,245	1	83.13
	Curtis land	50		10	
	Whitman land	80		40	
	Mansfield land	40		14	
	5 Horses	200			
	4 Cows	175			
	5 Neat Stock	200			
	53 Sheep	500			
Spalding, Fannie L.			1		2.00
Smith, Myrtie			1		2.00
Straw, Edgar E.	Home place	300	450	1	13.25
	Logs	150			
Straw, Bessie L.			1		2.00
Swett, Elsie J.	Home place	700	1,020	1	27.50
	J. Taylor place	150		160	
	1 Horse	50		54	
	2 Cows	120			

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NAME.	Description and Value of Real and Personal Estate	Total Valua- tion, 1930	Polls.	Acres.	Amount of Tax.
Sweeney, Mary	Home place	1,000			25.00
Stoddard Historical Society	Historical Building	100			2.50
Stewart, Nellie J.			1		2.00
Stewart, William A.	Store and land	2,500	1		124.50
	2 gas pumps	400			
	Stock in trade	2,000			
Wood, George			1		2.00
Whippie, Harold			1		2.00
Whippie, Bertha	1 Horse	60	1		3.50
Whippie, Alta			1		2.00
Wilson, Pheroba			1		2.00
Wilson, Harry	Home place	1,200	1	1/2	128.87
	Part home place	125		60	
	Dinsmore land	100		6	
	Conant pasture	300		100	
	Nye place	250		1/2	
	Fletcher Hill	2,000		376	
	Joel Shedd land	700		140	
	Taylor and Green land	250		50	
	2 Cows	150			
Whittier, Jonat'n Heirs	Home place	750		130	18.75
Wood, William J.			1		2.00
Whippie, James W.	Home place	1,300	2,300	132	57.50
	Mosher place	500		145	
	4 Horses	375			
	2 Cows	125			
Whittier, May			1		2.00
Wood, Emma A.	Home place	800	1,250	112	33.25
	1 Horse	45			
	1 Cow	65			
	4 Sheep	40			
	Mill	300			
Watters, J. R.			1		2.00
Wing, Clifton			1		2.00
Wing, Ida M.			1		2.00
Sibley, Clarence W.	Spalding land	300	1	60	9.50
Sibley, Alice E.			1		2.00
Spalding, Dorothy			1		2.00

ASSESSMENT AND TAXES, NON-RESIDENT

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Abbott, Carl D.	Cheever land 400	70	585	\$14.63
	Part Snow place 85	30		
	Burnap and Nelson land 100	45		
Adams, Albert F.	Cottage, Rice land 1/2	1/2	450	11.25
Am. Box & Lumber Co.	Wellman land 750	115	1,200	30.00
	Logs 450			
Ashby Stock Farms Co.	Antipas Dodge land 300	120	650	16.25
	Lot 28, R. 2 and 3 350	75		
Abbott, Ella E., Est.	Abbott farm 400	400	5,000	125.00
Brown, Emily S.	Wood land 16	16	175	4.38
Brown, Fred M.	Nye land 100	20	260	6.50
	Wilson land 150	1/2		
	Smith meadow 10	3		
Bailey, Marcus M., Est.	1/2 Colby pasture 27	27	200	5.00
Butterfield, L. D.	Wellman land 5	5	20	.50
Barker, Walter S., Est.	Cottage and lot 250	1	500	12.50
	Lots 3 and 4, R. 14 250	28		
Babbitt, Charles H.	Curtis pasture 240	240	1,350	33.75
Boyle, Abe J.	Moore-Robb land 100	100	400	10.00
Bacon, George E.	On shore Long Pond 1	1	50	1.25
Brown, William J.	6 Horses 900		1,900	47.50
	1 Saw mill 1,000			
Bilson, Charles, Est.	Lizzie Barrett place 600	1 1/4	750	18.75
	Messinger land 150	30		
Ballou, B. F.	Lund Barrett farm 1,000	90	1,535	38.38
	Bunavista Cottage 500			
	Logs 35			
Barbour, Thos S., Heirs	Stacy place 9	9	750	18.75
Burnett, Rob't M., Est.			30,365	759.13
	G. R. Jefts farm 85	85	2,000	
	E. Barrett land 40	40	200	
	2 Horses		150	
	Friend land 30	30	300	
	Mowry land 120	120	350	
	Richardson land 60	60	200	
	J. Copeland land 113	113	2,000	
	Curtis land 260	260	2,000	
	Proctor land 30	30	90	
	Griffiths land 75	75	2,250	
	Tripp pasture 60	60	300	
	Morse-Ball land 224	224	1,800	
	Hubbard land 109	109	700	
	School house lot 21	21	150	
	Harriett Simonds land 100	100	1,000	
	E. Bass pasture 95	95	300	

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Burnett, Rob't M. Est. — <i>Concluded</i>	Dexter Ball place	116	600	
	Jefts pasture	190	1,000	
	Winegar place	190	800	
	Tuttle-Cotton meadow	240	1,000	
	Horton land	80	250	
	C. D. Towne land	100	350	
	Severance pasture	130	1,500	
	J. D. Cutter land	40	100	
	Dodge land	20	80	
	Holland land, east of pond	35	500	
	Jonathan Whittier land	104	600	
	R. Holland land	49	650	
	R. and J. Holland land	50	450	
	Camp cottage		2,200	
	Snow place	50	200	
	Shepardson land	6	25	
	Phelps land	8	40	
	Pollard place	40	250	
	Morse pasture	57	1,000	
	Everett farm	140	1,200	
	Whitman land, east of road	64	400	
	Mowry land	6	30	
	F. S. Reed place	84	600	
	Part C. P. Jefts farm	125	1,200	
	E. B. Dodge pasture	100	200	
	Eddy land	180	1,000	
	Allex land	109	350	
Blackmore, Myra	Webster land	75	300	7.50
Butterfield, D. A.	W. Walker place	100	900	35.00
	$\frac{3}{4}$ J. E. Reed place	30	250	
	J. Scott pasture	56	250	
Boyle, Joseph	Taylor land	70	250	6.25
Congreve, William	Cottage, lot, Wilson land		100	2.50
Clark, Hobart	$\frac{1}{2}$ Colby pasture	27	1,500	37.50
Coffin, Josephine R.	F. E. Foster land	10	150	3.75
Cashion, Michael	Wellman Intervale	20	400	10.00
Carr, Nichols, Heirs	Cottage and land	364	1,500	37.50
Conn, Harriett P., Est.	Follansbee land	125	250	6.25
Cram, Ruel S.	Winona Cottage	2	300	7.50
Carr & Davis	Part Dunn land	39	100	2.50
Contoocook Mills Corp.	$\frac{1}{3}$ Long Pond reservoir		4,000	102.50
	$\frac{1}{3}$ part old mill site		100	
Chesnutt, Laura N.	Thurston place	3	500	12.50
Collins, John S., Heirs	E. D. Loveland place	$\frac{1}{2}$	600	15.00
Chase, Elvira M., Est.	Eben Stacy place	$79\frac{1}{2}$	800	20.00

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Cutter, James M.	Daniel Stacy land	256	1,200	30.00
Cotey, Harry	Cottage, Reed land		500	12.50
Calef, Robert F.	Boat house and garage		200	23.75
	Langston cottage lot		100	
	G. F. Barker cottage		500	
	2 Boats		150	
Carter, Sarah R.	Harry Wilson place	50	5,000	125.00
Cram, Effie F.	F. Knowlton house	3	500	12.50
Cutter, James D., Est.	E. B. Dodge land	100	500	17.50
	Jonathan Smith land	80	200	
Chase, Lawton	Cottage, Nichols land	1/2	600	15.00
Carey, Forest	Blood lot	43	2,000	62.50
	Duncan land	50	300	
	Green land	1	250	
Churchill, Alice L.	Camp site, Grand Lake		250	6.25
Davis, Ervin J.	Nichols land	40	150	3.75
Dooley, R. P.*	Part lot 14, R. 6	10	100	2.50
Dodge, Perley H.	Lot 27, R. 3	70	300	7.50
Delant, J. E.	Catherine Fox land	20	100	3.75
	Joseph Reed land	2	50	
Demeritt Fisher Co.	Taylor-Green land	50	700	92.50
	Part Town farm	180	3,000	
Doble, Harold B.*	Cottage, Stacy land	1/2	300	7.50
Davis, Earl J.	Cottage and land, Long Pd.		1,000	25.00
Dutill, Stephen	Cottage lot, Reed land		75	1.88
Damon, Jonas & Elmer	Land and cottage, Robb land	8	400	10.00
Ewins, Grace B.	Cottage, Spalding land	1/8	75	1.88
Eaton, Joseph J.	Timothy Hunt land	6	50	1.25
Elliott, Mary F.	Benjamin Kimball land	15	200	5.00
Fairfield, Morris	Wellman land	137	300	7.50
Farley, Frank B.	Lem Towne land	100	400	10.00
Farley & Davis	Nims land	90	200	5.00
Forbes, A. J.	Land at Lempster corner	7	50	1.28
Foster, Frank M.	On Sullivan line	2	50	1.25
Falconer, William N.	Upton land	172	600	36.25
	McClure land	50	100	
	Cynthia Jones land	40	100	
	Griffiths land	10	150	
	Reed classified forest	100	500	
Field, Kathleen	Cottage	1/8	300	17.50
	J. Mountford house and land	7	400	
Field, E. C.	Robinson cottage	3/4	400	10.00
Fitch, Leon M.	Pulp and lumber		320	8.00
Flanagan, William J.	Morey pasture	60	120	3.00

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Green, Harry R.	Parkhurst land	6½	400	18.75
	Damon pasture	40	350	
Green and Barrett	White pasture	60	150	3.75
Goodnow, Leslie, Est.	½ D. Upton land	120	150	3.75
Gorges, Mary	Cottage, Stacy land		250	6.25
Graham, Fred W.	Thomas Terrill place	⅛	50	1.25
George, Mary J., Est.	1¾ land and buildings		2,200	55.00
Gaston, Wm. A., Est.	Hardy land	35	200	20.00
	Robinson land	170	600	
Gilchrist, C. W., Heirs	A. W. Holt land	1	12	.30
Gould, Oscar I.	Jennings cottage	¼	200	8.75
	McLine Cottage	¼	150	
Gorges, Henry H.	Hutchinson place	12	500	27.50
	Hutchinson house		600	
Hall, Harriett P.	Proctor house	⅛	150	3.75
Hillsboro Woolen Mills Corp.	1/3 Lond Pond reservoir		4,000	102.50
	1/3 part old mill site		100	
Hastings, Harry	Hastings land		200	5.00
Hills, Helen M.	Cottage, Hardy land	2	550	16.25
	Cottage lot east of pond		100	
Howard, Leora C.	Nash land	50	150	16.25
	Sayles land	100	500	
Hathorn, Gertrude E.	Part Abel Adams land	105	500	12.50
Hagar, John	Part Town farm	120	600	15.00
Hart, Mary E.	Bide-a-wee Cottage	1/3	250	6.25
Hubbard, C. W., Est.	½ D. Upton land	60	150	3.75
Howard, Mary	Home place	15	350	8.75
Hapgood, Oscar	Cottage, Taylor land	¾	500	12.50
Holmes, Alice	Cottage, Reed land		200	5.00
Hodgdon, R. E.	2 Savager cottages & bldgs.	2	4,500	112.50
Kingsbury, Robert T.	Cottage and land	5	4,000	100.00
Kendall & Blood	Thurston land	190	800	20.00
Kirk, Walter R.	Garage, Green land	¼	300	7.50
Keyes, Anna	Cottage		100	2.50
Knight, George E.	Carney place	2	400	10.00
Kilgore, Annie E.	Griffin land	40	200	5.00
Knight, Philip E.	Stacy land	40	200	5.00
Johnson, Myron E.	Weeks land	50	150	3.75
Jones, Elgin A.	Barrett land	170	500	12.50
Jewett, Clarence C.	Lot 2, R. 14	10	60	2.13
	Lot 1, R. 14	4	25	
Jefts, George R., Est.	Nims land	2	30	.75
Jefts & Flanagan	Part C. P. Jefts place	40	300	25.00
	Sayles land	70	250	
	Robinson pasture	88	450	

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Jackson, J. H.	Garage, Granite Lake		185	4.63
Lemp, Herman	Myhaver cottage and land	100	1,000	32.50
	Martin Davis land	40	300	
Lawley, Edwin A.	Pitcher place	38	1,200	30.00
Leach, Geo. H., Heirs	Joslyn land	40	1,000	37.50
	Catherine Fox land	66	500	
Lynch, Sam B.	Mattie Holmes place	1	500	12.50
Louis, Fay	Cottage, Carr land		500	12.50
Lamb, Angie G.	McCoy place	10½	600	15.00
Littlehale, Morton	Cottage, Holmes land	¼	200	5.00
Lehman, M.	Nedeau cottage	1	200	5.00
Muldoon Bros.	Standing timber, Whitte- more land		1,000	25.00
Martin, Amos A.	Dodge land	225	1,000	25.00
Mason, George L.	Paige land	50	150	3.75
Mountford, Robert W.	Todd house	¼	500	12.50
Myhaver, George F.	Cottage, Stacy land		200	15.00
	Grovenstein cottage		300	
	Grovenstein cottage lot		100	
Murphy, Lambert H.	½ Stanley cottage lot		150	83.75
	F. T. Wood land	½	200	
	Nye place, Wilson land	137	3,000	
Moore, Verginia S.	Cottage lot, Granite Lake	½	128	3.13
Mountford, James E.	Part Santesson place	10	100	2.50
Mattoon, Donald P.	Cottage lot, Nichols land		100	2.50
McMaunir, Chas. E.	Standing timber on G. E. Reed land		1,200	85.00
	Lumber		2,200	33.00
Mason, Wallace L.	P. P. Ingalls place	200	800	
	Part Graves land	50	200	
	Part Lot 8, R. 14		20	
	Comstock land		100	
	Jenkins place	80	200	
Murdock, E., Co.	Obed Hale land	114	8,600	217.50
	Lot 5, R. 14	21	100	
McBean, Elizabeth M.	Mason Cottage	3	3,000	81.25
	Cottage lot, Granite Lake	1	250	
McFealy, Angus B.	Cottage lot, Nichols land		100	2.50
Nims, Annie G.	William Robb land	40	80	2.00
Noyes, Ida L.	Part Carroll place	7	40	1.00
Nichols, Alfred L.	James Robb land		400	122.50
	Lunch room		200	
	Pavilion		3,500	
	Box Tavern land	10	400	
	2 gas pumps		400	

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Nichols & Carter	Cottage, Reed land		300	7.50
Newey, William H.	Fox pasture	115	500	12.50
National State Capitol	Harris land	80	300	36.00
Bank	Harriett Pierce land	150	400	
	Paige land	18	40	
	Fayette wood land	50	200	
	Wilson-Comstock land	130	500	
Nuttell, Frank D.	Hotel property		800	20.00
Newman, Abbie M.	Lot 17, R. 2	80	400	10.00
N. H. Savings Bank			86,370	2,159.26
	James Robb farm	600	4,800	
	Lot 9, R. 3	20	100	
	1/3 Long Pond reservoir		4,000	
	Boat house lot		50	
	Wood land	40	300	
	L. 27, R. 5	100	300	
	Upper saw mill privilege		12,000	
	Lower privilege and land	160	15,000	
	L. 12, R. 5	34	150	
	Lots 13 and 14, R. 5	160	2,000	
	Lots 12, 13, 14, R. 4	164	1,200	
	Larkin land	61	600	
	L. 11, R. 5	21	100	
	East of Forest road	6	100	
	L. 6, R. 2	80	350	
	L. 11, R. 3	50	300	
	Lewis Barden farm	60	400	
	Bates land	35	600	
	Hudson house lot	1/2	50	
	L. 2, R. 6, east side	14	200	
	L. 12, R. 2	80	600	
	L. 10, R. 3	78 1/4	600	
	L. 9, R. 3	80	500	
	Andrew Dunn land	6	50	
	James Robb meadow	5	20	
	Weeks land	40	200	
	P. W. Hopkins land	150	1,800	
	L. 25, R. 6	20	100	
	L. 10, R. 5	15	600	
	Chancey Jones land	50	500	
	L. 10, R. 5	40	500	
	L. 9, R. 6	40	1,200	
	East of old Hancock road	30	200	
	L. 8, R. 6 and 7	160	2,000	
	L. 9 and 10, R. 7	160	1,200	

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
N. H. Savings Bank— <i>Concluded</i>	L. 7, R. 2	80	300	
	Allds land	26	300	
	L. 26 and 27, R. 6	200	800	
	Joseph Chapman land	150	3,000	
	L. 28, R. 3	40	350	
	Standing timber, Taylor P'd		25	
	Moore-Robb land	30	150	
	L. 3, R. 5	80	350	
	L. 3, R. 6	80	600	
	L. 3, R. 4	6	25	
	L. 4, R. 6	40	500	
	L. 4, R. 5	40	250	
	Daniel Fisher pine land	20	2,000	
	L. 10, R. 2	80	1,250	
	L. 11, R. 2	80	600	
	L. 28, R. 4	100	1,000	
	L. 28, R. 5	100	500	
	L. 28, R. 6	40	300	
	L. 27, R. 4	100	4,500	
	L. 12, R. 6	80	600	
	Sawyer land	250	9,000	
	Timber rights, J. H. Stevens land		800	
	Harvey farm	149	3,000	
	William Dodge farm	240	3,500	
	Cottage, Holmes land		300	7.50
Cadwell, Grace	Weeks land	25	125	3.13
Otis, Charles L.	Ann Hurd house	4	500	12.50
Osgood, Mary	Duncan meadow	12	100	2.50
Owner Unknown	Whittemore farm	140	280	7.00
Osgood, Marcus E.	Parsonage	$\frac{1}{2}$	500	22.50
Perry, Walter S.	W. F. Cook place	1	350	
	J. L. Reed land	20	50	
Perham, J. Frank	Sharon farm	200	800	20.00
Pollard, W. S., Heirs	Ephraim Bixby land	8	30	.75
Peirce, Charles L.	J. H. Scott place	5	400	35.25
	$\frac{1}{4}$ J. E. Reed place	10	100	
	Orr N. Towne land	84	400	
	F. J. Reed field	13	100	
	Reed store	1	400	
	$\frac{2}{5}$ Fisher house lot		10	
Putnam, Elizabeth A.	Varnum pasture	100	600	15.00
Perham, Fred W.	Cattle yard	$\frac{1}{2}$	10	.25
Perry, Edw'd B., Heirs	Dodge land and lot	90	500	12.50
Prentiss, John W.	Cottage, Stacy land	3	300	7.50

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Pratt, Lewis	Buxton Cottage	¼	400	10.00
Perkins, Robert F.			10,980	274.50
	Goodale-Temple land	1,250	5,000	
	Camp cottages		350	
	A. Knowlton land	180	700	
	Morris Christy land	15	150	
	Gilman Stacy land	300	1,000	
	Messinger land	80	350	
	L. 18 and 19, R. 4	50	250	
	L. 18, R. 4	70	700	
	L. 17, R. 4	20	50	
	Curtis land	80	800	
	G. M. Russell land	70	150	
	Gideon Knowlton land	160	500	
	Ring place	140	300	
	Lucy Stacy land	15	30	
	L. 19, R. 3	80	350	
	L. 20, R. 3	80	300	
Potter, Richard C.	Lena Davis place	10	100	12.50
	Tuttle and Horton land	60	400	
Perry, Delora, Mrs.	Cottage lot, Reed land		50	1.25
Proctor, Ralph E.	C. E. Page land	30	400	10.00
Public Service Co.			30,565	764.13
	L. 16, R. 2	84	250	
	Briggs-Symonds land	76	200	
	L. 12, R. 3	80	400	
	Flint meadow	10	50	
	Hudson meadow	35	100	
	Halliwell farm	150	800	
	Morse-Shedd land	160	500	
	Pulp mill property	30	3,000	
	John A. Robb place	4	50	
	Power line		25,000	
	McClure land	22	65	
	L. 10, R. 5	15	150	
Pressler, Adolphe W.	Stoddard and Nelson line	16	1,000	25.00
Pearson, William	Hodgman lot	110	1,500	37.50
Rogers, Henry A.	Hardy land and cottage	6	600	15.00
Rugg, Arthur H.	L. 8, R. 15 and 16	15	125	3.13
Ross, James L.	Wellman sugar lot	15	250	6.25
Russell, P. W.	½ Woodbury land	29	100	2.50
Reed, George E., Est.	Home farm	300	1,000	25.00
Remington, Ethel E.	Cottage lot, Reed land		35	.88

NAME.	Description and Value.	Aces.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Snow, Fred L.	½ Dawes camp and lot	¼	75	10.63
	½ Cottage on Dawes land		200	
	½ Wildwood Cottage		150	
Scott, John, Heirs	Weaver land	12	75	1.88
Sheldon, C. M., Est.	N. Whitney land	40	100	2.50
Swett, Perley E.	L. 8, R. 15	15	30	3.25
	Wardwell pasture	43	100	
Shea, Thomas	G. W. Goodhue land	15	100	2.50
Smith, Chas. L., Est.	L. 8, R. 10	80	1,000	40.00
	L. 8, R. 9	80	600	
Santesson, Bessie	W. Scott wood land	21	250	6.25
Safford, Perley F.			7,500	187.50
	J. L. Reed place	170	900	
	J. M. Rice place	428	3,000	
	Weeks place	174	2,000	
	Center place	120	600	
	Woods pasture	130	1,000	
Smith, George H.	Farwell place	30	600	15.00
Swain, Henry E.*	Briar and Swain cottage		500	
Sanford, Huntington	Wheeler cottage	½	800	20.00
Stevens, F. O.	L. 17, R. 3	80	1,500	55.00
	Bacon pasture	80	700	
Sawyer, A. H.	E. B. Gee land	4½	100	2.50
Storey, Will	Cottage lot, Reed land	¼	50	1.25
Stewart, Thomas H.	Blanchard place	25	400	10.00
Taintor, Giles, Esq.	Nichols land	160	400	10.00
Tucker, Susan D.	½ Abel Adams farm	110	500	12.50
Tarbox, Emogene	Harry Wilson place	100	600	21.50
	Scott land	14	200	
	Tolman meadow	20	60	
Tuttle, Wm. S., Est.	Tuttle homestead	6½	600	17.50
	Obed Hale place	1½	100	
Towle, Grace A.	Davis cottage		600	17.50
	Cottage lot, east of pond		100	
Taft, C. M.	L. 9, R. 15	90	200	9.00
	L. 8, R. 16	80	160	
Vose, George A.	Cottage, Granite Lake	1	2,600	75.00
	Wilson land	¾	400	
Wight, Blanche M.	Cottage and land, Gr. Lake		6,000	150.00
Whitcomb, Bessie M.	Fairfield land	10	50	1.25
Weston, Ephriam	J. S. Wilson and Nash land	69	275	7.63
	L. 11, R. 3	14	30	
Weston, James T., Est.	Cottage site, Rye Pond	½	25	.63
Weston, Emma	Part Nye farm	1½	16	.40
Wilson, Henry E.	Part Harry Wilson land	60	240	6.00

*Veteran, exempt.

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Wilson, James H.	Morrison Hill land	150	350	10.63
	Jane Holt land	27	75	
Ward, William H.	Cottage lot, Stacy land	¼	50	1.25
Wilson, William E.	Rice land and cottage		600	15.00
Wilder, Fred A.	½ Woodbury land	39	100	2.50
Wilder & Guillo	Cottage, Holmes land		150	3.75
Webster, Mary E.	L. 16, R. 13	40	450	73.75
	Heath land	80	1,500	
	Jerome Messinger land	100	1,000	
Whitcomb, Cecil I.	½ Wildwood cottage	¼	150	10.63
	½ Dawes cottage and lot	½	75	
	½ cottage on Dawes lot		200	
Wallace, Sadie M., Est.	½ Graves land	50	200	5.00
Wester & Wells	Island, Robb reservoir	¼	25	.63
Wright, Lena C., Est.	Cottage, Barnes land		50	1.25
Welch, A. A.	Benjamin Jeffs farm	68	1,800	45.00
Woolsey, William W.			10,470	261.76
	J. P. Reed place	264	3,500	
	4/5 Center Pond outlet	3	40	
	Bates land	87	175	
	Hart land	60	120	
	J. L. Reed land	18	50	
	James Gould land	60	200	
	Asa Davis place	250	500	
	Sumner Knight land	160	350	
	Hardy and Nelson land	110	250	
	Blanchard land	565	1,700	
	Abbott land	80	160	
	Dodge pasture	80	160	
	Burnap land	40	80	
	Kingsbury land	160	400	
	Gaston Davis land	125	250	
	Lund Barrett land	135	300	
	Luke Joslin land	175	600	
	Stephen Tuttle land	80	160	
	Davis sugar lot	45	150	
	J. T. Wallace land	10	25	
	Buffum lot	150	300	
	Ephraim Adams land	90	600	
	Wilson place	129	400	
Woods, Frank	Cottage, Miller land	1	400	11.25
	Buffum lot	15	50	
Woods, Mrs. Frank	Bailey house	1	500	12.50
White, Evan C.	Cottage, Stacy land	¼	250	6.25
Wheeler	Cottage lot on Green land	½	200	5.00

NAME.	Description and Value.	Acres.	Total Value.	Amt. of Tax.
Yettaw, Louis	Cottage, Barnes land		150	3.75
Watson, Mabel A.	P. T. Fox land	106	350	8.75
Barron, A. N.			4,700	117.50
	Merrywood Camps	7	2,500	
	Hobbs land	70	1,000	
	L. 28, R. 6	30	700	
	L. 28, R. 7	80	500	
Fifield, Bernice & Rua†	½ Graves land	25	200	5.00
Ranlett, G. H.†	Boats		100	2.50
Woolsey, W. W.†	Error in tax			25.00

†Added after assessment.

CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ARTHUR T. HODGKISS.

WILLIAM F. LANE,

Selectmen.

NELLIE J. STEWART,

Treasurer.

February 15, 1930.

FINANCIAL**BALANCE**

Town of Stoddard.

ASSETS.**Cash:**

In hands of treasurer,	\$1,815 59
A. T. Hodgkiss, bounties,	52 80

Accounts Due to the Town:

Bounties,	324 20
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Due from State:

State Aid Maintenance,	1 70
Trunk Line Maintenance,	613 95

Taxes not collected:

Levy of 1929,	424 52
Levy of 1928,	4 15

Total Assets,

\$3,236 91

Surplus, January 31, 1929,

\$836 00

Surplus, January 31, 1930,

833 47

Decrease of surplus,

\$2 53

REPORT**SHEET.**

February 15, 1930.

LIABILITIES.

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

Balance of Appropriation,	\$1,053 38
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State and Town Joint Highway Accounts:

Unexpended balance in State Treasury,	615 65
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Unexpended balance in Town Treasury,	136 99
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Balance Town Hall appropriation,	79 44
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Balance painting Hall,	26 38
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Balance breaking roads,	64 28
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Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of

Taxes:

Old Home Day,	175 00
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Soldiers' tablet,	18 77
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Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Balance cement bridge appropriation,	233 55
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Total Liabilities,	\$2,403 44
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Excess of assets over liabilities,	833 47
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Grand Total,	\$3,236 91
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UNIFORM
RECEIPTS AND

Town of Stoddard

RECEIPTS.

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector, 1929,	\$10,772 19
Less discount and abatement, 1929,	2 50
Less uncollected, 1929,	406 52

Property taxes current year, actually collected,	\$10,363 17
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 53 at \$2.00,	106 00
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected,	299 81

Total of above collections,	\$10,768 98
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From State:

For highways,	\$139 83
For State Aid maintenance,	1,650 26
For State Aid construction, bridge,	545 37
For Trunk Line maintenance,	702 51
Abatement,	5 00
Interest and dividend tax,	674 49
Insurance tax,	3 75
Forestry meeting,	4 00
Savings bank tax,	337 22
Snow removal,	129 67
Fighting forest fires,	12 62
Bounties,	465 80

CLASSIFICATION.

PAYMENTS.

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930.

PAYMENTS.

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries,	\$472 70
Town officers' expenses,	237 18
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	2 28

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department, including care of tramps,	18 50
Fire department,	927 17
Forest fires,	36 18
Bounties,	438 00
Damage by dogs,	100 00

Health:

Health department, including hospitals,	34 10
Vital statistics,	1 75

Highways and Bridges:

Snow removal, Cheshire Road,	270 44
State Aid maintenance,	2,269 80
Trunk Line maintenance,	978 71
Town maintenance,	1,963 28
Snow removal, Town,	267 00
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs,	683 16

Libraries,	30 30
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Patriotic Purposes: Soldiers' Memorial,	31 23
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	46 95
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Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses,	13 00
Discounts and abatements, over tax,	3 75

RECEIPTS AND

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog licenses,	90 75	
Interest received on taxes,	13 88	
Registration of motor vehicles,		
1929 Permits,	316 10	
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Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of		
taxes during year,	16,500 00	
W. F. Lane, filing fee,	2 00	
Town of Antrim, breaking roads,	11 00	
W. Hubley, order drawn in error,	12 65	
F. S. Messinger, lumber,	12 50	
L. B. Grant, pipe,	4 00	
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Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue,		16,542 15
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Total Receipts from All Sources,		\$32,402 38
Cash on hand February 1, 1929,		1,286 85
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Grand Total,		\$33,689 23

PAYMENTS.—*Concluded.*

Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,		187 50
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
Bridge,		1,161 82
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,		16,500 00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Taxes paid to State,	\$951 60	
Taxes paid to County,	880 57	
Payments to School Districts,	3,366 67	
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions,		5 198 84
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Total Payments for All Purpose,		\$31,873 64
Cash on hand January 31, 1930,		1,815 59
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Grand Total,		\$33,689 23

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1—SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Arthur T. Hodgkiss, Selectman,	\$100 00
Fred S. Messinger, Selectman,	75 00
William F. Lane, Selectman,	80 00
Arthur E. Cutter, Constable,	15 00
Edward T. Davis, Town Clerk,	35 00
Nellie J. Stewart, Treasurer,	30 00
Arthur E. Jennings, Supervisor,	6 00
Louise E. Davis, Librarian,	12 00
Louise E. Davis, Supervisor,	6 00
W. C. Reed, Supervisor,	2 00
John T. W. Mountford, Collector,	107 70
Fanny B. Rutherford, Janitor,	2 00
Henrietta Messinger, Auditor,	2 00
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	\$472 70

DETAIL 2—TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

Spalter's Book Store, supplies,	\$14 58
F. S. Messinger, tax meeting,	5 00
A. T. Hodgkiss, tax meeting,	4 00
E. C. Lambert, road meeting,	5 00
W. A. Stewart, postage and supplies,	4 34
Sentinel Printing Co., town reports,	109 48
W. F. Lane, tax meeting,	5 00
F. S. Messinger, road meeting,	5 00
A. T. Hodgkiss, road meeting,	4 00
J. D. Reynolds, auto to Keene,	5 00
Spalter's Book Store, vouchers and paper,	9 18
Auto Service Bureau, reprints,	14 15
Mason Insurance Co., bonds,	22 00

E. C. Lambert, auto hire,	5 00
H. E. Spaulding, road meeting,	5 00
A. T. Hodgkiss, postage and paper,	1 54
E. T. Davis, auto permits and postage,	18 91
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	\$237 18

DETAIL 5—TOWN HALL EXPENSES.

Fanny B. Rutherford, fuel,	\$0 50
E. T. Davis, lock and labor,	1 78
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	\$2 28

DETAIL 7—FIRE DEPARTMENT.

W. A. Stewart, freight on hose,	\$1 50
Boston Woven Rubber Co., hose,	441 00
A. H. Blanchard Co., fire pump,	475 00
A. T. Hodgkiss, care of pump and hose,	6 00
W. A. Stewart, freight on pump,	3 67
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	\$927 17

DETAIL 8—FOREST FIRES.

W. F. Lane, attending Warden meeting,	\$8 00
W. F. Lane, forest fires,	28 18
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	\$36 18

DETAIL 11—HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

W. M. Robb, M. D., vaccination,	\$5 00
L. C. Stillings, M. D., vaccinations, 1927,	12 00
Nellie H. Ayer, services,	17 10
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	\$34 10

DETAIL 12—VITAL STATISTICS.

Edward T. Davis, recording births and deaths,	\$1 75
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DETAIL 14—STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

A. E. Jennings,	\$2,179 54
S. O. Davis,	57 26
G. C. Lewis,	33 00
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	\$2,269 80

DETAIL 15—TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE.

S. E. Smith,	\$516 37
F. S. Messinger,	3 38
F. G. Huntley,	132 63
Albert Georgina,	219 70
S. O. Davis,	52 81
A. E. Jennings,	53 82
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	\$978 71

DETAIL 16—TOWN MAINTENANCE.

H. E. Spalding,	\$637 93
F. L. Schultz,	689 94
E. C. Lambert,	631 85
W. T. Lane,	3 56
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	\$1,963 28

DETAIL 18—GENERAL EXPENSES, HIGHWAY DEPT.

Perley Safford, parts and repairs on tractor,	\$36 48
F. S. Messinger, posting signs,	5 48
A. A. Barnes, rent of garage,	7 50
W. A. Stewart, gas, oil, freight and supplies,	62 22
H. E. Cutter, painting plow and machine, and labor on tractor,	23 00
E. C. Lambert, labor on tractor and auto hire,	21 22
Good Roads Mach. Co., parts for grader,	21 98
Spencer Hardware Co., paint and oil,	4 87
Whipple's Garage, axle for tractor,	13 38
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., parts for grader,	14 05
E. E. Straw, labor on tractor and hauling tractor to Keene,	36 96

P. V. Norcross, bridge plank,	50 87
M. J. Brown, bridge plank,	40 02
L. S. Watson Co., bridge plank,	41 40
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., snow fence,	210 00
K. A. Watkins, labor on tractor,	43 72
R. A. Ayer, labor on snow fence,	21 88
C. R. Andrews, labor on tractor,	17 10
A. Miller, bridge plank,	11 03

\$683 16

DETAIL 17—SNOW REMOVAL, TOWN.

E. E. Straw,	\$133 10
K. D. McClure,	8 00
E. C. Lambert,	24 00
Wellington Hubley,	12 65
H. E. Spalding,	5 10
F. L. Shoults,	12 65
H. E. Cutter,	71 50

\$267 00

DETAIL 13—SNOW REMOVAL, CHESHIRE ROAD.

Fred Huntley,	\$270 44
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DETAIL 38—STATE AID BRIDGE.

Fred S. Messinger,	\$1,161 82
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DETAIL 34—INTEREST.

Keene National Bank, interest on temporary loans,	\$187 50
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DETAIL 46—TEMPORARY LOANS IN ANTICIPATION
OF TAXES.

Keene National Bank,	\$16,500 00
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DETAIL 52—PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL
DIVISIONS.

State tax,	\$610 63
To balance state tax,	340 97

\$951 60

DETAIL 53.

County tax,	\$880 57
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DETAIL 55—PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT.

1928 school money,	\$844 71
1928 dog license,	25 63
1928 debt,	419 00
1929 school money,	2,077 33
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	\$3,366 67

DETAILS 10 AND 29—DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES.

P. H. Faulkner, counsel,	\$13 00
H. E. Spalding, sheep killed by dogs,	100 00
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	\$113 00

DETAIL 24—WAR MEMORIAL.

A. T. Hodgkiss, labor and cement,	\$27 00
E. E. Straw, hauling sand, etc.	4 23
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	\$31 23

DETAIL 31.

Perley, Swett, over tax, refunded,	\$3 75
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DETAIL 19—LIBRARIES.

A. T. Hodgkiss, rent of library room,	\$12 00
E. T. Davis, library tax,	18 30
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	\$30 30

DETAIL 6—POLICE DEPARTMENT.

J. D. Reynolds, care of tramps,	\$18 50
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DETAIL 9—BOUNTIES.

A. T. Hodgkiss,	\$345 00
E. E. Brown,	93 00
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	\$438 00

DETAIL 28—CEMETERIES.

H. E. Cutter, new cemetery,	\$19 55
T. H. Tilden Co., flags,	5 40
W. A. Stewart, shingles for hearse house,	22 00
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	\$46 95

ABATEMENTS, BOOK OF 1928.

Lillian Hall,	\$2 00
Isaac Longever,	2 00
Mrs. Isaac Longever,	2 00
Lester Lockwood,	2 00
Solomon White,	2 69
Harry J. Waldron, paid in Marlow,	6 45
Farley & Davis, overtax,	3 23
Paul Jarvis,	2 15
George R. Jefts Est., veteran,	86
Robert Smith, paid in Washington,	2 00
Forest Carey, over tax,	17 20
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	\$42 58

ABATEMENTS, BOOK OF 1929.

A. A. Barnes, over 70,	\$2 00
Nellie Bow, over 70,	2 00
Ethel Hale, paid in Keene,	2 00
Stoddard Historical Society,	2 50
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	\$8 50

DETAIL 38.—STATE AID BRIDGE.

Expended by Town,	\$1,161 82
Paid Fred S. Messinger,	\$1,161 82
Share of expenditures :	
Town,	616 45
State,	616 45
Expended by state,	\$71 08
Received from state,	545 37
	\$616 45

State Aid Maintenance.

	State.	Town.	Total.
Balances,	\$210 44	\$70 14	\$280 58
Appropriations,	1,650 00	550 00	2,200 00
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	\$1,860 44	\$620 14	\$2,480 58
Expended,	1,858 74	619 58	2,478 32
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Balance,	\$1 70	\$0 56	\$2 26
A. E. Jennings,			\$2,179 54
S. O. Davis,			57 26
G. C. Lewis,			33 00
By State,			208 48
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			\$2,478 28

Trunk Line Maintenance

	State.	Town.	Total.
Balances,	\$191 79	\$42 61	\$234 40
Appropriations,	1,665 00	370 00	2,035 00
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	\$1,856 79	\$412 61	\$2,269 40
Expended,	1,242 84	276 18	1,519 02
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Balances,	\$613 95	\$136 43	\$750 38

S. E. Smith,	\$516 37
F. S. Messinger,	3 38
F. G. Huntley,	132 63
A. Georgina,	219 70
S. O. Davis,	52 81
R. E. Jennings,	53 82
By State,	540 33
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	\$1,519 04

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous**

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	Actual revenue previous year, 1929.	Estimated revenue ensuing year, 1930.	In- crease.	De- crease.
FROM STATE:				
Savings Bank Tax	\$340.97	\$340.97	.....	.....
Town Officers' Expenses	237.18	250.00	12.82	.....
For Highways:				
(a) For State Aid				
Maintenance	1,650.26	1,650.26	.....	.....
(b) For Trunk Line				
Maintenance	545.37	550.00	4.63	.....
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EX- CEPT TAXES:				
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	13.88	12.00	.....	\$1.88
FROM POLL TAXES	144.00	114.00	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$2,677.10	\$2,682.23	\$7.11	\$1.88
AMOUNT RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	10,355.17	10,000.00	.....	355.17
TOTAL REVENUES	\$13,032.27	\$12,682.23	.....	\$357.05

STODDARD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year, January 31, 1930 to January 31, 1931, Compared with
Year, January 31, 1929 to January 31, 1930

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual expenditures previous year, 1929.	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1930.	In- crease.	De- crease.
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$472.70	\$500.00	\$27.30	
Town Officers' Expenses	237.18	250.00	12.82	
Hall	2.28	200.00	197.72	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	18.50	18.50		
Bounties	438.00	300.00		\$138.00
Fire Department	927.17			927.17
Forest Fires	36.18	40.00	3.82	
Damage by Dogs	100.00	32.00		68.00
Health:				
Health Department	34.00	20.00		14.00
Vital Statistics	1.75	1.75		
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Maintenance:				
State's Contribution	1,858.74	2,000.00	141.26	
Town's Contribution	619.58	750.00	40.42	
Trunk Line Maintenance:				
State's Contribution	1,242.84	1,300.00	57.26	
Town's Contribution	276.18	300.00	28.82	
Town Maintenance	1,963.28	2,000.00	36.72	
Snow Removal	537.44	500.00		37.44
General Expense of Highway Department	683.16	600.00		83.16
Education:				
Libraries	30.30	30.30		
Soldiers' Memorial	31.23	30.00		1.23
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	46.95	15.00		31.95
Legal Expenses	13.00	13.00		
INTEREST:				
On Temporary Loans	187.50	150.00		37.50
Over Tax	3.75			3.75
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS:				
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Bridge:				
State's Contribution	1,161.82			1,161.82
INDEBTEDNESS:				
Payment on Principal of Debt				
Temporary Loans	16,500.00	12,000.00		4,500.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOV- ERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:				
State Taxes	951.60	951.60		
County Taxes	880.57	887.69	7.12	
Payment to School Districts . .	3,366.67	3,000.00		366.67
TOTAL EXPENDITURES ..	\$32,622.37	\$25,895.84	\$548.26	\$7.3 69

TREASURER'S REPORT

Year 1929.

RECEIPTS.

From Local Taxes:

Property and poll tax, 1929, J. T.	
W. Mountford, Coll.	\$10,469 17
Property and poll tax, 1928, J. T.	
W. Mountford, Coll.	205 28
Property and poll tax, 1927, J. T.	
W. Mountford, Coll.	45 25
Added after assessment,	7 53
Hobart Clark, taxes,	38 75
Hobart Clark, over tax,	3 00
	<hr/> \$10,768 98

From State:

Forestry meeting,	\$4 00	
Snow removal,	129 67	
Bounties,	465 80	
Forest fires,	12 62	
Maintenance, classified highways,	139 83	
State aid maintenance,	1,650 26	
Trunk line,	702 51	
State aid bridge,	545 37	
Interest and dividends,	674 49	
Balance state tax,	340 97	
Abatement,	5 00	
	<hr/> 4,670 52	

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Automobile tax,	\$316 10	
Dog licenses,	90 75	
	<hr/> 406 85	

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$16,500 00
Interest on 1928 taxes,	6 28
Interest on 1927 taxes,	7 60
E. T. Davis, W. F. Lane filing fee,	2 00
Town of Antrim for breaking roads	11 00
Wm. Hubley, for order drawn in error,	12 65
F. S. Messinger, lumber from bridge,	12 50
L. B. Grant, pipe from bridge,	4 00
	<hr/> 16,556 03
Total receipts from all sources,	\$32,402 38
Cash on hand February 1, 1929,	1,286 85
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Grand Total,	\$33,689 23
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PAYMENTS.

Orders drawn by Selectmen,	\$31,873 64
Balance cash on hand,	1,815 59
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Grand Total,	\$33,689 23
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NELLIE J. STEWART,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF STODDARD, N. H., ON FEB. 24, 1930

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Prin- cipal.	Rate of Interest.	Bal. of Income on Hand at Begin- ning of Year.	Income During Year.	Expended During Year.	Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year.
Aug. 17, 1921	Henry W. Griffiths Cem. Fund	Fourth Liberty Loan Bond	\$2,000.00	4 1/4 %	\$405.28	\$43.00	\$60.00	\$448.28
Aug. 11, 1921	Henry W. Griffiths Cem. Fund	American Agricultural Chem. Co.	2,000.00					
Feb. 21, 1910	Ephriam Stevens Fund, Stevens Cem.	Cheshire County Savings Bank	250.00	4 %	59.91	49.74	12.00	61.74
Feb. 21, 1910	Ephriam Stevens Fund, Old Cemetery	Cheshire County Savings Bank	250.00	4 %	81.46	15.06		96.52
Jan. 9, 1917	James H. Fisher Fund, Old Cemetery	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	4 %	4.28	6.41		47.69
May 27, 1927	Asa Davis, New Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	4 %	5.92	4.79		10.71
June 10, 1927	Allison & Nathaniel Gilson, Old Cem- Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	4 %	5.59	4.79		10.38

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
February 24, 1930.

ARTHUR T. HODGKISS,
ARTHUR E. JENNINGS, Trustees.

HIGHWAY AGENTS' REPORT

H. E. SPALDING, *Road Agent.*

Paid—

H. E. Spalding, man and team,	\$241 13
C. W. Sibley, labor,	88 42
Edgar Poland, labor,	4 00
W. F. Lane, labor,	14 22
Harvey Cutler, labor,	19 50
Ross Ayer, labor,	26 24
Albert Holland, labor,	28 67
George F. Gee, gravel,	9 20
C. R. Andrews, sharpening drills,	1 55
A. E. Jennings and truck,	30 00
Kenneth McClure and truck,	50 00
J. W. Whippie and truck,	65 00
E. E. Straw and truck,	35 00
Sam Hazelton and truck,	25 00

\$637 93

Received from Town,

\$637 93

FRANK L. SCHULTZ, *Road Agent.*

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930.

Rate per day for truck, \$11 00

Rate per day for man or team, \$4 00

Amount of money received from Town,	\$689 94
F. L. Schultz, 596 hours,	\$264 83
F. L. Schultz, team, 445½ hours,	197 97
F. L. Schulze, one horse, 9 hours,	2 00

Robert Bemis, 2½ hours,	1 11
Harold E. Pierce, 179½ hours,	79 77
Kenneth D. McClure, 2 hours,	89
Kenneth D. McClure, truck 5 hours,	6 11
Malcolm Green, 7 hours,	3 11
Ephraim Weston, 19 hours,	8 44
E. E. Straw, man and truck, 24 hours,	40 00
Charles Poland, 57½ hours,	25 55
Leonard Reynolds, 9 hours	2 00
Edgar Poland, 52½ hours,	23 33
A. E. Cutter, 9 hours,	4 00
W. Hubley, 33½ hours,	16 66

Amount paid for labor,	\$675 77
P. Scripture, hauling plank, \$2 00	
D. O. Devens, 2 bags cement, 4 00	
Louise Richie, 18 loads gravel, 2 70	
Harry Wilson, stringers, 1 50	

Amount paid for material,	8 20
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Amount expended for labor and material,	683 97
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Overdraft and due the Town,	\$5 97
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TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

List of dogs licensed in the Town of Stoddard for the year ending April 30, 1930, according to vote passed at the March meeting, 1912.

<i>Owner.</i>	<i>Male.</i>	<i>Female.</i>	<i>Date.</i>	<i>Amt.</i>
Elmer E. Brown	1		April 11	\$2 00
Fred R. Jennings,	2		April 15	4 00
Hattie L. Harlow,	1		April 16	2 00
William A. Stewart,	1		April 18	2 00
Betsey Smith,		1	April 20	5 00
Apha Hall,	1		April 20	2 00
Elsie J. Swett,	1	1	April 20	7 00
Fannie B. Rutherford,	1		April 22	2 00
Albert L. Nichols,	1		April 23	2 00
H. E. Spalding,		1	April 29	5 00
H. E. Spalding,		1	April 29	5 00
Edna Jennings,	1		April 29	2 00
Arthur E. Jennings,	2	1	April 29	9 00
Ross A. Ayer,	1		April 30	2 00
Frank L. Schultz,	1		May 1	2 00
Frank L. Schultz,	1		May 1	2 00
Edgar E. Straw,	1		May 1	2 00
Amey Gauge,	1		May 1	2 00
Bertha Whippie,	1		May 2	2 00
James W. Whippie,	1		May 2	2 00
W. Hubley,		1*	May 3	2 00
Harold Pierce,	1		May 4	2 00
Ruth C. Lambert,	2		May 8	4 00
Kenneth McClure,	1		May 9	2 00
Samuel D. E. Smith,	2	1	May 10	9 00
Albert A. Barnes,	1		May 13	2 00
Jesse Poland,	1		May 24	2 00

John D. Reynolds,	1	June 3	2 00
J. R. Waters,	1	June 3	2 00
J. R. Waters,	1	June 3	2 00
W. H. Pierce,	1	June 13	2 00
Doris Woods,	1 (9 mo.)	July 25	3 75
Ross A. Ayer,	1 (6 mo.)	Nov. 14	1 00

Amount received for 32 males and 8 females,	\$98 75
Fees on 40 licenses at 20 cents,	8 00

Paid Town Treasurer, dog licenses,	\$90 75
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Paid Town Treasurer for W. F. Lane filing fee, for 1928 primaries,	\$2 00
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Received for 73 permits issued for automobile registration for the year ending December 31, 1929,	\$316 10
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Paid Town Treasurer,	\$316 10
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*Spayed.

EDWARD T. DAVIS,
Town Clerk.

We have examined the report of the Town Clerk and find
it correctly cast and proper vouchers for the same.

KENNETH D. McCLURE,
ROSS A. AYER,
Auditors.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

BOOK OF 1929.

Amount remitted to Collector,	\$10,902 95
Paid Treasurer,	10,469 17
Taxes abated 1930, Jan. 31,	9 25
Interest on hand,	5 50

LIST OF UNPAID TAXES OF 1929.

James Aborn,	2 00
H. S. Brock,	8 75
Charles Bushway,	5 00
George Hebit,	11 25
Charles H. Merrill Estate,	5 00
Harold Whippie,	2 00
Alta Whippie,	2 00
Bertha Whippie,	3 50
James W. Whippie,	57 51
Emma A. Wood,	33 26
William J. Wood,	2 00
Dorothy Spalding,	2 00
Lawrence Butterfield,	50
Delmont A. Butterfield,	35 00
Joseph Boyea,	6 25
Nicholas Carr heirs,	37 50
George L. Mason,	3 75
Alfred L. Nichols,	122 50
Abbie M. Newman,	10 00
Owner unknown,	2 50
Walter S. Pollard heirs,	75
Richard C. Potter,	12 50
George E. Reed Estate,	55 00
Clifton Wing,	2 00
Ida M. Wing,	2 00

\$424.52

TAXES ABATED JAN. 31, 1930.

Ethel Hale, poll paid in Keene,	\$2 00
Nellie Bow, over 70 years old,	2 00
Albert Barnes, over 70 years old,	2 00
George R. Jefts, veteran,	75
Stoddard Historical Society,	2 50

BOOK OF 1927.

Due Town on Hobart Clarke tax,	\$41 73
W. L. Smith,	2 83
Donald Sawtelle, abated,	2 00
Redeemed Hobart Clarke,	41 73
Interest on same,	5 01
W. L. Smith,	2 83
Interest,	38

BOOK OF 1928.

Amount to collect,	\$243 64
Amount collected,	214 73
Amount overpaid on 1928 taxes,	4 15
Abated and overtax,	42 53

ADDED AFTER ASSESSMENT.

Charles Tapley,	\$7 53
Thomas H. Stewart,	8 60

UNCOLLECTED TAXES OF 1928.

Emma Capen,	\$2 00
Owner unknown,	2 15
Interest paid Treasurer,	6 28
Interest on hand,	1 13
Amount due Collector	5 79

TAXES ABATED 1927.

Donald Sawtelle,	\$2 00
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TAXES ABATED BOOK OF 1928.

Harry J. Waldron,	\$6 45
Robert S. Smith, paid in Washington,	2 00
Solomon White,	2 64
Paul Jarvis,	2 15
Mrs. Isaac Longver,	2 00
Isaac Longver,	2 00
Lillian Hall,	2 00
Lester Lockwood,	2 00
George R. Jeffs Estate,	86
Forrest L. Carey, overtax,	17 20
Farley & Davis, overtax,	3 23

BOOK OF 1929.

Albert Barnes, over 70,	\$2 00
Nellie Bow, over 70,	2 00
George R. Jeffs Est., veteran,	76
Ethel F. Hale, paid in Keene,	2 00
Stoddard Historical Society,	2 50

AUDITORS' REPORT.

February 17, 1930.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Clerk and Tax Collector and found the same kept and properly vouched.

KENNETH D. McCLURE,
ROSS A. AYER.

REPORT OF THE STODDARD PUBLIC LIBRARY

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand February 1, 1929,	\$9 85	
Interest on Henshaw Fund to April 1929,	16 13	
Book sold to Mrs. Cutter,	1 00	
Appropriation for 1929,	18 30	
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Total receipts,		\$45 28

PAYMENTS

1 gal. kerosene,	\$0 18	
Paste,	10	
A. E. Jennings, 2 load slabs,	2 00	
Montgomery Ward & Co., books,	2 52	
J. T. W. Mountford, 2 books,	1 50	
Montgomery Ward & Co., books,	,9 56	
Sears, Roebuck & Co., books,	6 55	
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Total payments,		22 14
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Cash on hand February 1 1930,		\$23 14

The following books have been added since the last report:

1870	Cherry Square,	Richmond
1871	Terror Kept,	Wallace
1872	The Yellow Claw,	Rohmer
1873	Padlocked,	Beech

1874	Romeo in Moon Village,	McCutcheon
1875	The Alaskan,	Curwood
1876	Firetongue,	Rohmer
1877	Child of the Wild,	Marshall
1878	Forlorn River,	Grey
1879	The Desert Thoroughbred,	Gregory
1880	The Sleeper of the Moonlit Ranges,	Marshall
1881	Moon of Madness,	Rohmer
1882	The Black Hunter,	Curwood
1883	The Magis Garden,	Porter
1884	The Black Knight,	Dell
1885	The Deadfall,	Marshall
1886	Lights Up,	Richmond
1887	Wallflower,	Bailey
1888	Understanding Heart,	Kyne
1889	The Benson Murder Case,	Van Dyne
1890	The Sea Gull,	Norris
1891	Under the Sun,	Coolidge
1892	The Aristocratic Miss Brewster (Gift),	Lincoln
1893	The Denatured Africa (Gift),	Streeter
1894	MyGarden of Memory (Gift),	Wiggins
1895	Northern Lights and Southern Shades (Gift),	Goodring
1896	Ginger and Speed (Gift),	Hueston
1897	The Ghetto Messenger (Gift),	Burstein
1898	The Midnight Folk (Gift),	Macefiel
1899	But Gentlemen Marry Brunettes (Gift),	Loos
1900	The three Black Pennies (Gift),	Hergeshemer
1901	Debonair (Gift),	Stern
1902	The Green Hat (Gift),	Arlen
1903	Wintersmoon (Gift),	Walpole
1904	The Love Nest (Gift),	Lardner
1905	Dark Laughter (Gift),	Anderson
1906	Wedding (Gift),	Levy
1907	The Great American Band Wagon (Gift),	Merz
1908	The Story of the Inquisition (Gift).	

1909	The Choir Invisible (Gift),	Allen
1910	Nevada,	Grey
1911	Wild Horse Mesa,	Grey
1912	God and the Groceryman,	Wright
1913	Two Flights Up,	Rineheart
1914	The Gentleman from Indiana,	Tarkington

It is out pleasure to return thanks for gifts of books or periodicals to the following: W. W. Woolsey, four volumes; Mrs. K. Fields, two volumes; Florence Brooks Aten, twelve volumes; Myra Merrill, one volume, and Mr. E. M. Messinger for copies of the National Geographic Magazine.

JOHN T. W. MOUNTFORD,
KENNETH D. McCLURE,
EDWARD T. DAVIS,

Trustees.

CEMETERY REPORT, LABOR, ETC.

Withdrawn	\$12.00
Expended labor	11.05
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Due	\$.95
Old Cemetery:	
Withdrawn	\$60.00
Labor.	3.20
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	\$56.80
Due for repairs to hearse house and cleaning cemetery	\$56.80

ARTHUR T. HODGKISS,

Trustee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE STODDARD SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Year Beginning July 1, 1928, and Ending
June 30, 1929

RECEIPTS

For support of elementary schools,	\$2,025 33	
For salaries of district officers,	75 00	
For payments of per capita tax,	36 00	
For 1928 deficiency, raised in 1928,	419 00	
For superintendent's excess salary,	35 71	
Dog licenses,	25 63	
Overpayment to Milton Bradley,	7 49	
	<hr/>	\$2,624 16
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1928,		10 10
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Grand total,		\$2,634 26

PAYMENTS

Administration :		
1. Salaries of district officers,	\$75 50	
2. Superintendent's excess salary,	35 71	
3. Truant officers and school census,	3 65	
4. Expenses of administration,	4 07	
	<hr/>	\$118 93
Instruction :		
5. Principal's and teachers' salaries,	\$612 00	
6. Text books,	11 31	
7. Scholars' supplies,	33 97	
8. Flags and appurtenances,	7 64	
	<hr/>	664 92

Operation and maintenance of school plant:

10. Janitor service,	\$42 07	
11. Fuel,	44 00	
12. Water, light, janitor's supplies,	06	
13. Minor repairs and expenses,	32 77	
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Auxiliary agencies and special activities:

14. Medical inspection,	\$10.00	
15. Transportation of pupils,	1,211 75	
17. Elementary school tuition,	72 00	
18. Other special activities,	7 60	
	<hr/>	1,301 35

Fixed charges:

19. Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	28 00
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Debt, interest and other charges:

26. Payment of notes and bills of previous year,	\$304 50	
27. Damages,	4 51	
	<hr/>	309 01

Total payments for all purposes,	\$2,541 11
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1929)	93 15

Grand total,	\$2,634 26
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REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1929.

SUMMARY.

Cash on hand June 30, 1928,	\$10 10
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year,	\$2,179 53
Dog tax,	25 63
Income from 1928 special appro.	419 00
	<hr/> 2,624 16
Total amount available for fiscal year,	<hr/> \$2,634 26
Less School Board orders paid,	2,541 11
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1929,	\$93 15

NELLIE J. STEWART,
District Treasurer.

June 29, 1929.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Stoddard, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929, and find them correct in all respects.

ROSS A. AYER,
Auditor.

July 5, 1929.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1.

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Louise E. Davis, clerk for 1928,29,	\$4 00	
A. T. Hodgkiss, salary as school board, 1929,	20 00	
J. E. Hudson, salary as school board, 1929,	20 00	
R. A. Ayer, salary as school board, 1929,	20 00	
Nellie J. Stewart, treasurer, salary to June 30, 1929,	7 50	
E. T. Davis, moderator for 1928-29,	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$75 50

DETAIL 2.

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

F. T. Johnson, superintendent, excess salary,	35 71
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DETAIL 3

TRUANT OFFICER AND SCHOOL CENSUS

Nellie H. Ayer, enumeration,	\$3 00	
W. H. Spalter, enumeration cards,	65	
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DETAIL 4

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Ross A. Ayer, telephoning,	\$0 30	
J. T. W. Mountford, salary as auditor,	2 00	
F. T. Johnson, postage and telephoning,	1 27	
W. A. Stewart, postage,	50	
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DETAIL 5

PRINCIPAL'S AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

Cadet Teachers' Association,	612 00
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DETAIL 6

TEXT BOOKS

B. H. Sanborn,	\$2 60	
C. Scribner & Son,	1 91	
Iroquois Publishing Co.,	6 80	
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DETAIL 7

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Ryan & Balder, paste,	\$1 79	
Cheshire Chemical Co., chemicals,	2 40	
Milton Bradley, supplies,	27 17	
World Book Co., supplies,	1 90	
E. F. Babb & Co., chalk and ink wells,	71	
	<hr/>	33 97

DETAIL 8

FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

J. L. Hammett, flag pole and bracket,	\$3 65	
Milton Bradley, flag,	3 99	
	<hr/>	7 64

DETAIL 10

JANITOR SERVICE

Mabel Young, janitor,	\$10 00	
F. S. Messinger, janitor,	18 00	
Doris Glines, janitor,	5 00	
Marion Russell, janitor,	6 00	
Cheshire Chemical Co., paper towels,	1 12	
W. A. Stewart, supplies,	1 95	
	<hr/>	42 07

DETAIL 11

FUEL

Harvey E. Cutter, wood,	\$39 00	
F. S. Messinger, fuel,	5 00	
	<hr/>	44 00

DETAIL 12

WATER, LIGHT AND JANITOR'S SUPPLIES

F. S. Messinger, soap,		06
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DETAIL 13

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSE

J. F. Hudson, supplies,	\$17 09	
F. S. Messinger, glass and labor,	2 00	
F. T. Davis, brush, paint and putty,	1 06	
W. A. Stewart, supplies,	4 75	
E. T. Davis, clock, lock and labor,	6 78	
E. E. Babb & Co., inkwells,	1 09	
	<hr/>	32 77

DETAIL 14

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Dr. Robb, inspection of scholars,		10 00
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DETAIL 15

TRANSPORTATION

R. A. Ayer, pupils on Knowlton route,	\$464 50	
Samuel Smith, pupils to Munsonville,	358 00	
J. D. Reynolds, pupils from South		
Stoddard,	389 25	
	<hr/>	1,211 75

DETAIL 17

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Nelson School District for		
Charlie Hill,	\$36 00	
Beverly McClure,	36 00	
	<hr/>	72 00

DETAIL 18

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

A. E. Jennings, cleaning vault (2 times),	\$4 00	
F. B. Rutherford, cleaning schoolhouse,	3 60	
	<hr/>	7 60

DETAIL 19

FIXED CHARGES

State treasurer, per capita tax,	28 00
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DETAIL 26

DEBT, INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES

Keene National Bank, loan and interest,	304 50
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DETAIL 27

DAMAGES

Damage to windows in church,	4 51
Total payments for all purposes,	<hr/> \$2,541 11 <hr/>

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS JUNE 30, 1929

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1929,	\$93 15
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Total assets	93 15
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Grand total,	\$93 15
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LIABILITIES JUNE 30, 1929

Excess of assets over liabilities,	\$0 00
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Surplus,	93 15
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Grand total,	\$93 15
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ARTHUR T. HODGKISS,

JOHN E. HUDSON,

EDWARD T. DAVIS,

School Board.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

F. T. JOHNSON,

Superintendent.

ARTHUR T. HODGKISS,

JOHN E. HUDSON,

EDWARD T. DAVIS,

School Board.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Stoddard, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1929, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROSS A. AYER,

Auditor.

July 5, 1929.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Stoddard:

I herein submit my seventh annual report as superintendent of schools.

As we face the rapidly changing conditions of vocational, business and spiritual life, we ask ourselves what is this thing which we call Education? We might fill this report with definitions which emphasize certain phases of education. A century ago men thought of education as a means of preserving the past. Now we think of education as a means of improving the future. Our real gain to civilization is the improvement of man himself.

Of the many viewpoints of education, Dr. John Dewey has hit the trail when he says in his book entitled *Democracy and Education*, "Education may be defined as a process of the continuous reconstruction of experience, with the purpose of widening and deepening its social content, while at the same time the individual gains control of the methods involved."

New Hampshire is carrying out this interpretation in the philosophy of its education, viz.: (1) through the fundamental law that every child shall be offered an opportunity to have whatever talents he may possess brought to the fullest possible development, whether he lives in the city or country; (2) the child and his interests become the center of all our efforts, including selection of text books, technique of methods, courses of study and selection of teachers. In fact, the child becomes the sun about which the appliances of education revolve, the center about which they are organized.

In the development of our educational scheme, we use certain methods and have certain goals. We must not confuse the two. A method is but a means to an end. Any method that gets the desired results in an economical unit of time is a good method. Methods come and go. Goals are more lasting. They endure for centuries.

Important goals of our public school system are: (1) the acquisition of facts or universal truths through scientific reasoning, (2) the development of the skills in the elementary schools, (3) the formation of right habits of life, (4) the endowment of right attitudes toward school work, home life, church interests and community affairs.

In short, we wish our children, considered from a psychological viewpoint, to possess alert mental abilities, rich feelings and righteous judgments.

Your superintendent, teachers and school board have kept in mind the above mentioned goals in the performance of their respective duties.

The degree of success we have attained, we leave to your judgment.

Following is a list of teachers with time of service for year 1928-1929:

Mabel Young, from September 10 to November 16.

Doris Glines, from November 19 to January 31.

Evelyn Thurber, from February 2 to April 12.

Marion Russell, from April 15 to June 14.

During the entire year, the school was under the cadet system of teachers from the Keene Normal School.

Average work was maintained throughout the year. Miss Young and Miss Russell excelled in methods of instruction and organization of the school.

Miss Idella Farnum of the Keene Normal continued her efficient service as critic teacher. Her careful guidance and helpful suggestions did much to eliminate obstacles, to direct the inexperienced beginner and give stability to the school work.

The following number of promotions per grade were made in June:

I,	II,	III,	IV,	V,	VI,	VII,	VIII,
1	0	3	2	6	1	1	1

These promotions were made on the five point basis, viz.: term rank, regularity of attendance, standard tests, judgment of teacher and the judgment of critic teacher.

The usual medical examination was given by Dr. Robb of Marlow.

For the year beginning September 1929 the school board decided to employ a regular teacher in place of the cadet system. Miss Marion Russell was employed for the year. At the time of writing, Miss Russell has the school well organized, is giving good discipline, and the school work gives promise for a successful year.

A much needed improvement to the school property is the installation of a well of water in the school yard.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the school board, teachers, parents and citizens for their co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK T. JOHNSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Marlborough, N. H., February 1, 1930.

ROLL OF HONOR

PUPILS NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY

First Period of Nine Weeks

Francis Ayer *Barbara Reed

Parker Ayer *Frances Reed

Second Period of Nine Weeks

Francis Ayer Barbara Reed

Frances Reed

Third Period of Nine Weeks

Barbara Reed Frances Reed

Fourth Period of Nine Weeks

Francis Ayer Parker Ayer

Franklin Ayer Barbara Reed

Frances Reed

*Perfect attendance for year.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1928-1929

Length of school year in weeks,	36
Half-days school was in session,	350
Total enrollment,	17
Average membership,	12.55
Average attendance,	11.55
Percent of attendance,	92.03
Percent of attendance for the district,	94.09
Percent of attendance for the state,	94.58
Number of tardinesses,	58
Number of visits made by members of school board,	3
Number of visits made by citizens,	27
Number of visits made by superintendent,	16
Number of visits made by critic teacher,	14

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June Session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STODDARD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1929.

DATE OF BIRTH	NAME OF CHILD	Sex. and Con.		NAME OF FATHER	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER	AGE	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER	AGE
		Male or Female.	No. of child, 1st, 2nd, etc.						
April 6	Gerald W. Wing . . .	M	L	Clifton O. Wing . . .	Ida M. Anderson . .	Troy, Vt.	29	Fitchburg, Mass. . .	26
June 29	Frances P. Wilson . .	F	L	Harry Wilson	Pheroba Mountford . .	Stoddard	52	Stoddard	30
Dec. 4	Herbert C. Lambert. .	M	L	Edward C. Lambert Ruth C.	Jennings . .	Nashua	28	Stoddard	22

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STODDARD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1929.

DATE OF DEATH	NAME AND SURNAME OF DECEASED	AGE			PLACE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH OF FATHER	PLACE OF BIRTH OF MOTHER	NAME OF FATHER	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
		Y.	M.	D.					
April 6	Bernice I. McClure	28	4	11	Keene	Antrim	Washington . . .	Leon W. Foster	Fannie W. Eaton
June 22	Doris R. Pierce	2	6	21	Lowell, Mass. . .	Lowell, Mass. . .	Kennebunk, Me.	Harold E. Pierce	Rosa A. Barron
Dec. 4	Ester T. Mountford	66	6	23	Covington, Ky. .	Stoddard	Munroe, Tenn. . .	Jonathan D. Hall	Pheroba Chilton

BODY BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL:

Jennie S. Stevens, died at Keene February 8, 1929.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD T. DAVIS, Town Clerk.

